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Bldg + Grounds

25 September 1963

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Dear Ben:

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1. [redacted] of your office called and asked whether
the Fine Arts Commission would be willing to recommend inviting

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[redacted]
to set up the contemporary prints in the CIA building in either November or December of this year.

2. Our recommendation at this time is to not accept the invitation. The reasons for this recommendation are as follows:

a. We have not yet determined upon a permanent exhibit area although we are working on that problem.

b. It would seem to us that our first exhibit would be best one native to the agency.

c. We should be very careful in starting the business of inviting exhibits into the building because of the fact that the word gets out and we may be plagued by requests to exhibit.

In short, we need to go into this exhibit business further.

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[redacted]
Chairman, FAC

Fast work!

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Attachment:

[redacted] 24 Jan 63 ltr.

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cc: Ex. Dir. (Attn:

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